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SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

The release of USMC LTC William (Rich) Higgins appears scheduled to take place when a breakthrough occurs in the peace agreements between Iran and Iraq. LTC Higgins is currently located about one third of a mile north of his former location previously described as a Syrian headquarters. His current location is identified at ENCLOSURE 1. The structure housing Higgins is associated with elaborate designs, ornate objects black and gold objects, vases etal, that one might associate with Egyptian history.

Thomas Sutherland appeared readily accessible; his current location is indicated at ENCLOSURE 2. Notations of the name "Abeah/Abegah/Abelah" phonetically surfaced as being associated with Sutherland's current location. He is aware of his surroundings, aware of ongoing negotiations on behalf of the hostages, and he listens to radio broadcasts. There appears to be some sort of high visibility associated with Sutherland as if he were the subject of ongoing negotiations. He remains scheduled to be released subsequent to Higgins.

To all indications, Frank Reed, Edward Tracy and Jesse Turner remain in the so-called "military barracks."

Apparently search teams have been looking for Terry Waite and Terry Anderson. They recently left the western edge of the Beqaa Valley in a route of travel towards west Beirut. See

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ENCLOSURE 3.

Robert Pohill remains in poor health; he was described as merely "inert" not doing anything or going anywhere at this time.

The status of Alan Steen and Joseph Cicippio remains unchanged; they appear to remain subject to the "dump" towards friendly forces. The perception of the concepts of a go-between and a substantial payoff to the captors remains strong. The name of "Hyde" also phonetically surfaced to describe a 'German counsel" who will affect the monetary payoff.

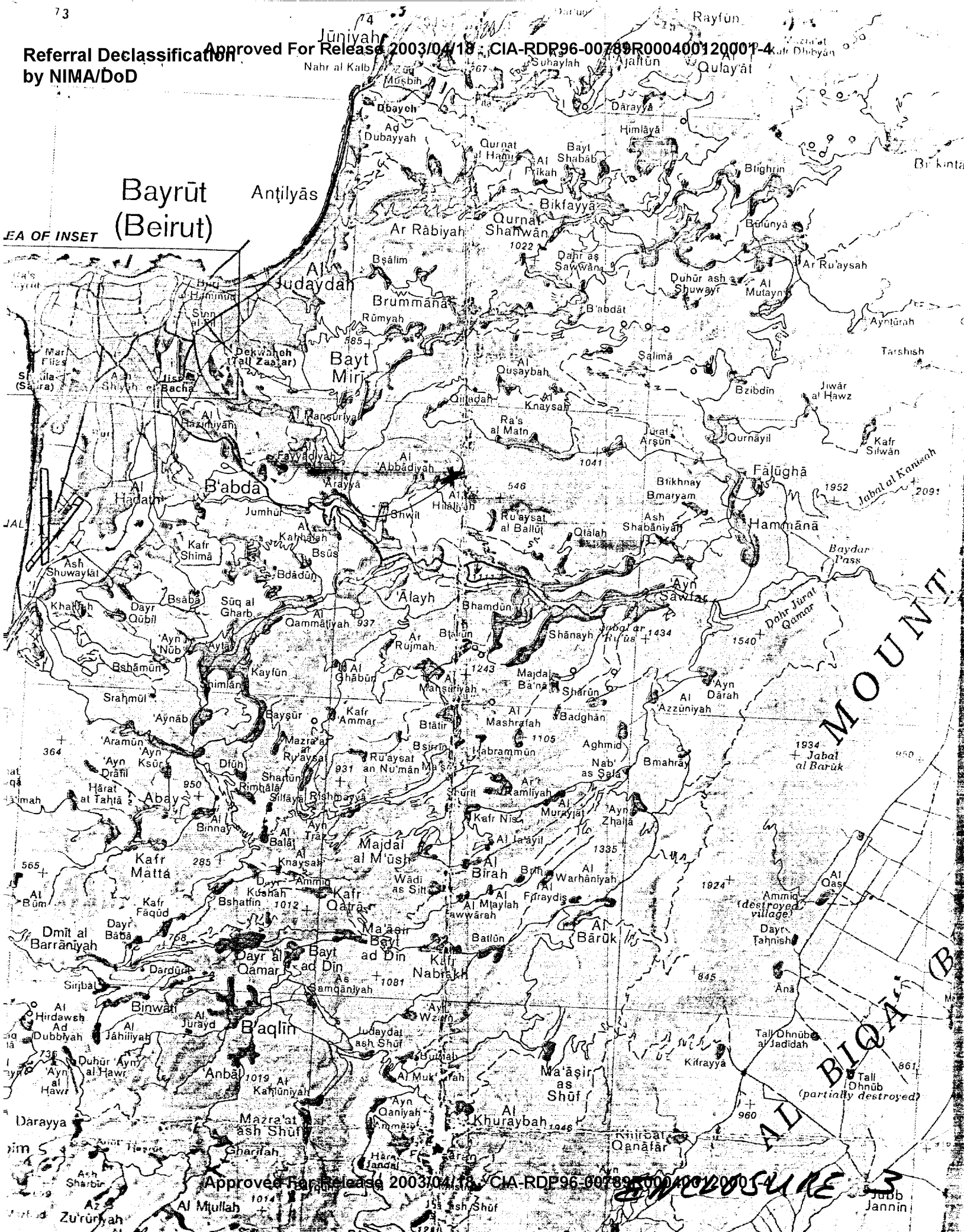
The names of "Weyland" and "Littleton" also phonetically surfaced as recognized negotiators of importance in the current hostage situation.

Israeli authorities are aware of the new location housing the two Israeli hostages. Somehow "Weyland" is of some assistance to them. The Israeli hostages will not be released from captivity until all the other hostages have been released.

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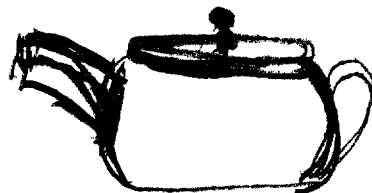
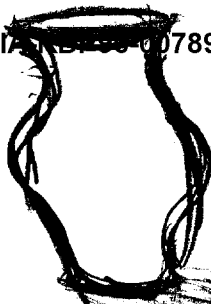
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ENCLOSURE 3

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Topical Search -

New wave length requires attention with the solar system recognizing sun spots - go
go see Harry for additional information

3 Topical Search

3 phases

West Beirut releases other hostages
Wallen provides Wolyn

the West Bank of Beirut

South West portions supplies additional info for hostages release
Sutherland is being conducting search on Sutherland

- ABEAH

- ABEWAH

South - remains all together
the hostages will be received

The Wolyn procedure - accomplished
rep of



Hostages

Higgins

Status meets requirements -
passable, releasable, passe
requires attention to detail
Will soon be accomplished

Sutherland - relies on info
from his captives - comes
out very soon.

Sutherland got moved up in line
centerium - break thru

Conquered -

can show points on map.

Threat = Did Captives have ability
to harm hostages - yes.

Yes

~~Yes~~

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Maps

Higgins will be accomplished
concurrently with Peace Settlement
Iraq + Iran -

Higgins

(above Sands Road)

Syrian control

VIA Helicopter

House
office with elaborate designs
high power place -

ornate objects around him

Look for Gold + Black Vases

Egyptian history here.

Higgins out of capture territory
and out of their hands forever.

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Sutherland

currently in place where he
can hear news broadcast
aware of his surroundings
very much aware of negotiators
they treating him very well -

When Higgins comes out he
can tell the route

Sutherland is being received
well - treated well -

He is alone -

Loca

(above 178 - above Red letter
Q)

Reed + Tracy - ^{+ Turner} waiting
main barracks de flag
military Barracks.
pretty much in same location

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Waite & Anderson
will be in Transit - from
Bakaw Valley

— Search teams looking
for them -

— trying to move towards
Beirut -

— Because of fighting they
go to outskirts

Anderson tired

They ~~have~~ are moving now -
the unpredictability of the war -
they are moving them -
of movement

going to East side of Beirut -
in Area of AL Abbad

Iyah

They are under orders not to
Kill Hostages -

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Cicippio + Steen

a dump with Big Pay off

Hyde - German Council affects
the payoff

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Pohill is mess
- no movement -
- no question

Sittleton playing his part
now. He + Waulyn have
have big power -
(Bits)

Israeli Hostages

are well
are very angry
- in Beirut.

- in immediate vicinity
Waulyn helps them too -

7.
Israelis

located - too much movement

Israelis (are they aware of their location)

Yes.

After all other hostages
comes out - they will
be the last out

- Plan to bring them out
forcefully.

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PROJECT SUN STREAK

WARNING NOTICE: INTELLIGENCE SOURCES AND METHODS INVOLVED

PROJECT NUMBER: 8808 SESSION NUMBER: 037
DATE OF SESSION: 25 OCT 88 DATE OF REPORT: 25 OCT 88
START: 1000 END: 1120
METHODOLOGY: WRV VIEWER IDENTIFIER: 079

1. (S/NF/SK) MISSION: Update status, location, and releasability of US hostages in Lebanon; include Terry Waite and the Israeli hostages as target personalities.

2. (S/NF/SK) VIEWER TASKING: Viewer 079 tasked in accordance with mission tasking.

3. (S/NF/SK) COMMENTS: No inclemencies noted; however info did not appear to flow fluently as if in the presence of some form of inhibition. A Summary of Information is attached to this report.

4. (S/NF/SK): EVALUATION:

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